

SEC. 43. *Feather renovators.*

Feather renovators On every individual or firm or association of persons, or his or their agents, engaged in the business of renovating feathers, a license tax as follows: Ten dollars for each county in which such business may be solicited or conducted.

SEC. 44. *Peddlers.*

Peddlers—different kinds and tax. Any person who shall carry from place to place any goods, wares or merchandise and offers to sell or barter the same, or actually sells or barter the same, shall be deemed to be a peddler and shall pay a license tax as follows: Each peddler on foot, ten dollars for each county; each peddler with horse, ox or mule, with or without vehicle, or with a vehicle propelled by any other power, thirty dollars for every county. Every itinerant salesman who shall expose for sale, either on the street or in a house, rented temporarily for that purpose, goods, wares or merchandise, shall pay a tax of one hundred dollars in each county in which he shall carry on such business, whether as principal or as agent for any other person. Every person mentioned in this section shall apply in advance to the Board of County Commissioners of the county in which he proposes to peddle or sell for a license, and the Board of County Commissioners may, in their discretion, issue the license upon the payment of the tax to the Sheriff, which shall expire at the end of twelve months from its date. This section shall not apply to those who sell or offer for sale, books, periodicals, printed music, ice, fuel, fish, vegetables, fruits, or any articles of the farm or dairy, or articles of their own individual manufacture. The Board of County Commissioners shall have power, at their discretion, to exempt from tax under this section any poor and infirm person, and such license shall be good in any county in the State. Any person carrying a wagon, cart or buggy or traveling on foot for the purpose of exhibiting or delivering any wares or merchandise shall be considered a peddler: *Provided*, that this section shall not apply to persons or their agents engaged in exchanging woolen goods for wool: *Provided further*, that this section shall not apply to drummers selling by wholesale.

Itinerant salesmen.

License, how obtained, expiration.

Exceptions.

County commissioners may exempt, when.

Such license good, where.

Definition.

Proviso, exceptions.

SEC. 45. *Mercantile agencies.*

Mercantile agencies. On every mercantile agency or association having an office in this State which has for its object the rating of the commercial status of persons, firms or corporations, the sum of two hundred dollars, to be paid by the principal office in the State to the State Treasurer, and no city, town or county shall levy any additional license tax. Any person representing any mercantile agency which has failed to pay a license tax as above provided, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

No county or municipal tax.

Representing unlicensed agency a misdemeanor.